

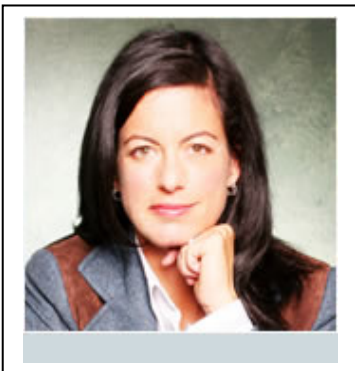


# Greenprint News

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## An Evening with Laurie David

*Global Warming Activist*

You are cordially invited to attend a special evening at the Colorado Convention Center on Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> as Mayor Hickenlooper hosts a "A conversation with Global Warming Activist Laurie David." Complete event information and free tickets are available at the Greenprint Denver web site: <http://www.greenprintdenver.org/news>

Laurie David is devoted to stopping global warming. She has recently launched a year long [Stop Global Warming Virtual March](#) on Washington that is engaging religious leaders, labor unions, elected officials from all sides of the aisle, business leaders, and every day Americans to move the United States to address its global warming.

In addition to [An Inconvenient Truth](#) and the Virtual March, Ms. David has produced several other projects that bring the issue of global warming into mainstream popular culture -- including the release of her first book, [The Solution is You: Stop Global Warming - An Activist's Guide](#), the comedy special, *Earth to America!* And HBO's documentary film *Too Hot Not to Handle*.

As a trustee of the Natural Resources Defense Council and a founding member of the Detroit Project, Ms. David has spear-headed numerous public education and action campaigns urging Congress and auto-makers to raise fuel efficiency standards and make better and safer cars. She also co-chairs NRDC's Action Forum and Executive Forum.

Before working full time on environmental and political issues, Ms. David had a distinguished career in entertainment spanning two coasts. She began her career in New York City as a talent coordinator for the David Letterman show. Four years later she left to start her own management company, representing many of today's top comedians as well as comedy writers. She also produced several comedy specials for HBO, Showtime, MTV, and Fox Television. Upon moving to Los Angeles, Ms. David became vice president of comedy development for a division of Fox Broadcasting and developed sitcoms for Twentieth Century Television. In the summer of 1998, Ms. David produced her first feature film, *Sour Grapes*.



## *Ongoing Earth Day '07 Events ...How to get involved*



### *LEAF - LODO Earth Action Festival*

- ◆ LoDo's First Annual Earth Action Fest (LEAF) is a two-week gala celebrating Earth Day and empowering Metro Denver residents with positive green strategies. The festival will begin on April 15, 2007 with a special book presentation, "This Moment on Earth: Today's New Environmentalists and Their Vision for the Future" at the Tattered Cover written by Senator John Kerry and Teresa Heinz Kerry, and concludes on April 27, 2007 with a zero-waste, fuel-cell-powered, LEAF Finale - a block party complete with food, music by The Reals, and plenty of great ideas for the planet.
- ◆ Thursday, April 26, Noon to 1 pm: Brown Bag Lunch  
Join the Alliance Center nonprofits, LoDo businesses, and other leaders for presentations on Greenprint Denver and how organizations can calculate their carbon footprint. The presentation will be held at the Tattered Cover Book Store located at 16<sup>th</sup> and Wynkoop. Lunch will be served and is available by reservation only. Please contact Janna Six at [jsix@allianceforcolorado.org](mailto:jsix@allianceforcolorado.org) to reserve your place.
- ◆ Friday, April 27, 10:00 am: Alliance Center Tree Planting  
Former Denver Mayor Wellington Webb and students from Lake Middle School will plant 30 trees in Commons Park on behalf of the nonprofits in the Alliance Center and other sponsoring local businesses. The Alliance Center is an official sponsor of Mayor Hickenlooper's 7,000 trees in 7 days project. Please contact Kendra Sandoval at [ksandoval@allianceforcolorado.org](mailto:ksandoval@allianceforcolorado.org) for more information.

### *Earth Day Sustainability Campus Fair*

- ◆ This fair will be held at the Downtown Denver's Auraria Campus on April 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> and is an educational outreach that promotes the use of clean energy, community sustainability and energy conservation. For more information regarding this event please go to this website:  
<http://thunder1.cudenver.edu/studentlife/studentactivities/springflinginfo.html>



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Planting a tree can help stop global warming. Trees use nutrients like carbon, nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium - all byproducts of urban living. In fact, a single tree will absorb about 1.3 tons of carbon dioxide over its average 70-year lifespan.

## Fresh City Life

The Denver Public Library and Greenprint Denver are hosting more than a month of "Green" events through early May, including speakers, films and other events for adults and kids:

- Learn about composting and xeriscaping with information sessions given by the Denver Urban Gardens and Harriett McMillan.
- As a grand finale, Mayor Hickenlooper will be hosting and moderating an evening with Laurie David. Ms. David founded the Stop Global Warming Virtual March at [www.stopglobalwarming.org](http://www.stopglobalwarming.org) with Senator John McCain and Robert F. Kennedy, Jr. that is engaging religious leaders, labor unions, elected officials from all sides of the aisle, business leaders, and every day Americans to urge the United States to address global warming.

*For the full "Green" program for the coming months, please visit our website: [www.greenprint.org](http://www.greenprint.org) or visit the Library's website: [www.denverlibrary.org](http://www.denverlibrary.org).*



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